compensation, but may receive reimbursement, contingent upon the availability of funds, for travel and subsistence in accordance with North Carolina General Statutes §§ 138-5, 138-6, and 120-3.1

This executive order shall be effective immediately and shall remain in effect until rescinded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in the City of Raleigh, this seventh day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand and seven, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and thirty-second.

Michael F. Easley Governor

Secretary of State

ATTEST: